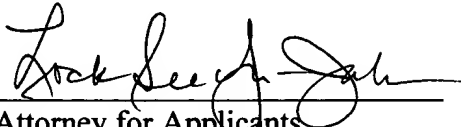


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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE TO SPECIFICATION

The paragraph starting at page 18, line 11 and ending at page 18, line 21 has been amended as follows:

--Also, when information to be sent to an upper layer is received from the lower Bluetooth controller 309, the information is passed to the upper event control task 307. In this way, an operation mode, in which the Bluetooth control task 308 passes information to the lower Bluetooth controller 309 when receiving the information from the upper event control task 307, and it passes information to the upper event control task 307 when receiving the information from the lower Bluetooth controller 309, is hereinafter referred to as a command [though] through mode.--

The paragraph starting at page 20, line 11 and ending at page 20, line 19 has been amended as follows:

--In a Bluetooth control task 409, when information to be sent to the facsimile apparatus 201 is received from the interface module 408, the information is passed to the lower Bluetooth controller 410. Also, when information to be sent to the interface module 408 is received from the lower Bluetooth controller 410, the information is passed to the interface module 408. This operation mode is hereinafter referred to as a command [though] through mode.--

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4. (Amended) The communication system according to claim 1, further comprising:

selecting means for selecting transmission of the image read by said scanner to a communication line connected to said image communication apparatus;

request command sending means for sending a command to request start of transmission of transmission data from the scanner to the image communication apparatus after the standby mode is released, if transmission to said communication line is selected; and

image data transmission starting means in which said scanner starts transmission of image data stored in the memory when said scanner receives [a command] from said image communication apparatus a command to permit start of transmission of transmission data.

6. (Amended) The communication system according to claim 5, wherein, if given time further passes after making transition to said low power consumption connection [state] state, said wireless communicating means eliminates said low power consumption connection state to open the wireless connection, and makes transition to the state of carrying out said initial connection procedure at the time of establishing the wireless link again.